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## BIRTHS.

LLOYD.—On October 17th, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. LLOYD, a daughter.  
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## The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 23-D, 1913

A fortnight ago in some comments on the Colonial Estimates for 1914 we drew attention to the omission of H.E. the Officer Administering the Government to give any explanation of the delay which has taken place in providing the Colony with the long-promised wireless station, for which a vote of \$100,000 was included in the Estimates for the current year, and we expressed a hope that some statement on the subject would be forthcoming when the Estimates come up for discussion. We were unaware at the time that the Chamber of Commerce had already been in communication with the Government with reference to this question. To-day we are able to publish the correspondence. The letter of the Secretary to the Chamber recalls a letter received from the Government in December last year, saying: "His Excellency THE GOVERNOR now proposes to ask the Secretary of State to call for tenders through the Crown Agents for the Colonies for a 5-kilowatt station." In the succeeding nine months, nothing further has been heard of the matter, and when the Chamber asks the Government whether

it is in a position to make any further statement on the subject, and whether an assurance can be given that steps are being taken to equip the port with a wireless telegraph station, an answer is returned which must raise a smile in every business office. We gather but one crumb of information from the letter. The Chamber of Commerce were informed last December that His Excellency "now proposes" to ask the Crown Agents to call for tenders; the latest letter says definitely that the Crown Agents actually were instructed last December. Yet the Colonial Secretary adds, nine months after these instructions were given: "It is reasonable to suppose that there will be no great delay in carrying out the work." It is evidently not reasonable to suppose anything of the kind when Downing Street and the Crown Agents are factors which enter into the calculation. Ten months have now elapsed and the Colonial Government apparently is not yet informed as to whether its instructions have or have not been fulfilled. When we have regard to the importance of Hongkong as a shipping centre, and to its situation in a neighbourhood where ships are liable to encounter so much heavy weather, the delay in providing the port with a means of communicating with ships at sea is little short of scandalous. We can only hope that the case for urgency presented in the latest letter sent to the Government, by the Chamber of Commerce—though it contains little that has not been urged many times before—will persuade the SECRETARY OF STATE, to whom a copy of it has been communicated, to wake up the Crown Agents. The right hon. gentleman will probably recognise that so long as Hongkong lacks a wireless station, it would ill become His Majesty's Government to complain that the Chinese Government has not fulfilled its promise to set up a wireless station on the Pratas Islands. The track of some of the typhoons which have come periodically near Hongkong this year has served to emphasise the need of this promised installation on the Pratas atoll, and we have no doubt that when this Colony provides a regular means of communicating with a station on the Pratas, there will be little difficulty in persuading the Chinese authorities to implement the promise given a few years ago, because the Chinese Maritime Customs Department had the reef surveyed two years or more ago, with this object in view, and we have even heard it stated that the necessary apparatus for the station was ordered and has long been resting—perhaps rusting—in its packing cases.

At to-day's meeting of the Legislative Council the Budget for 1914 comes up for second reading.

Information was received last night from the Manila Observatory of a cyclone or typhoon East of Southern Luzon, direction unknown.

Two Chinese arriving on board the Pacific Mail Company's steamer *Nile* were fined the maximum penalty, \$500, or three months' imprisonment, at the Magistracy yesterday for unlawful possession of arms and ammunition.

The Governor-General of Yunnan returned to Hongkong on Tuesday by train from Canton and left for Shanghai by the *Empress of Japan* yesterday. A telegram received last night from Peking states that he has been appointed Governor-General of Hunnan vice Mr. Tam, who has resigned.

Charles Vincent, a Frenchman, of no occupation, was arrested at Hungshon on Tuesday for being in possession of one ounce of prepared opium, four mace of opium dross, and two tals of compound opium. He was allowed out on bail of \$50, but failed to appear before Mr. F. A. Hazeland yesterday. The Magistrate accordingly ordered that the bail should be estreated, awarding \$30 to the Crown and \$20 to the Opium Farmer. His Worship enquired as to the reason for such a heavy bail, and it was explained that the defendant had been found in possession of opium before, and on previous occasions he had always put the blame on his boys.

Mr. C. V. Roenig, Manager of the Manila Hotel, has presented his resignation to the board of directors, effective January first, 1914, and the resignation has been accepted. His year's contract expiring on that date. Climatic conditions tending to impair his health, coupled with an offer to return to Japan and assume charge of a large hotel there, are the reasons assigned which have led to Mr. Roenig's determination to sever his connection with the Manila Hotel at the end of this year. Through his connection with several large hotel unions, he has received an offer from a New York hostelry, which he has also under consideration.

## SUPREME COURT.

## IN CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR THE CHIEF JUSTICE (SIR WM. REES DAVIES, K.C.).

## THE MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

The case was resumed in which Lo Tam Tsai was charged with the manslaughter of Lo Hoi.

Asked if he would like to give evidence, accused replied: "I am willing to go into the witness-box because I am an innocent man and do not fear cross-examination." He admitted that he struggled with deceased, who was very drunk, but no blows were struck. Deceased struck several people and also fell about.

After a few seconds' discussion the jury were unanimous in finding the man not guilty.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. J. H. KEMP (PUISNE JUDGE).

## "IMPROPERLY BANISHED."

Leung Ping Kam was charged with disobeying an order of banishment.

The jury were composed of the following:—Messrs. G. W. Gegg (foreman), J. Rocha, P. Oliver, G. B. Coulson, F. Y. van der Wal, E. F. Orchard, and J. A. Schultz.

The Crown Solicitor said the man was banished in September, 1911, for a period of five years, but subsequently returned to the Colony. He would produce certain evidence which would show that the accused was the man; at least a man bearing his name was banished in 1911. Evidence would also be called giving actual cases of identification.

Mr. Jenkin (instructed by Mr. A. H. Crew) who appeared to defend, interrupted with the remark that the Crown Solicitor had misunderstood his defence. His defence was not that the accused was not the person who was banished, but that he was improperly banished. It was admitted by him that the accused was the banished man.

The Crown Solicitor said it was very difficult for him to show whether the man was properly or improperly banished. He assumed he would have to show that the man was properly banished.

Mr. Jenkin—And I can only admit verbally that he was banished.

The Crown Solicitor—I will prove that he was banished, and also that he was properly banished.

Mr. J. A. E. Bullock, Chief Clerk in the Colonial Secretary's Office, produced the warrant of banishment.

Mr. Jenkin—Do you know why the following has been written on the warrant: "He is not a naturally born or naturalised subject of His Majesty?"

Mr. Bullock—That is a result of the inquiries made by the Registrar-General and the police.

Mr. Jenkin—Have you seen the reports in this case, and do these reports include the questions and answers and anything which this man may have said?

Mr. Bullock—That is so.

Several other witnesses were called who affirmed that accused was the man who was banished in 1911, and a constable spoke to arresting him on a junk in the harbour, where he had been for two days.

Mr. Jenkin then remarked that he was going to prove that the man was a naturally born British subject, and also that he could not be banished. It was a simple point and a very simple defence. The jury might not know that in banishment proceedings—it was the law and it was not his duty to say whether it was right or wrong—that the man who was to be banished was arrested, and in the days when the warrant against accused was issued he was taken to the gaol and there questioned by the Registrar-General or some of his deputies. He was asked to say what he liked about himself, but he had not the right to an advocate or of having anybody in the gaol or during the course of the hearing who could look after his interests. He had no opportunity, on account of his being incarcerated, of getting any evidence together, and if he could not bring any evidence to augment his own statement the result was very simple. The Council said:—"We are not satisfied, and out of the Colony you go." The man had been afforded no opportunity of putting his case forward or of marshalling his evidence. The accused was a naturalised British subject, and therefore he should not have been banished. No one from the Registrar-General's Office had been put into the box, and therefore he had had no opportunity to put the accused's case to anyone from that office, and to say to them, as he was going to prove, "Look here, did not this man say to you, 'I am a naturally born British subject? I have lived here all my life, and did not he hand you a certificate of birth? Also have you not got a record of that? And did not the accused call two witnesses to support his statement?" Mr. Jenkin added that with

all due respect to what the Registrar-General had said to hold that the man was a naturalised British subject, and that being so it was no offence for him to return from banishment. He would call evidence to show that the man was improperly banished.

The Crown Solicitor said they were not there to say whether the man was lawfully banished. "What we want to show is whether he was banished or not." That was the whole case for the jury to decide. They could not find fault or go against the Ordinance of 1882.

Mr. Jenkin—We are charged under that.

The Crown Solicitor—It is not for the jury to say whether the Government was right or wrong, only whether this man has returned from banishment.

Mr. Jenkin—We live and learn. There is now another state of things in the Colony under this Ordinance. You can be banished to-morrow, and if you come back there is no tribunal before which you can go and show that you are a British subject and that you should not have been banished.

His Honour—Of course there would be some tribunal.

The accused, in the witness-box, said he was born in Hongkong 41 years ago, Chinese reckoning.

The jury held after hearing evidence that accused was a naturalised British subject and he was discharged.

## HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

## THE MILITARY CONTRIBUTION.

The Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett, C.M.G., has given notice of his intention to move the following resolution at to-day's meeting of the Legislative Council:—

It is hereby resolved that in the opinion of this Council it is expedient that the "Defence Contribution Ordinance, 1901," be so amended as to provide that the contribution in respect of any one year shall not exceed the sum of one million dollars local currency (\$1,000,000).

The contribution in 1914 is estimated at \$1,897,646, plus \$87,000 estimated arrears on account of the contribution in the present year.

## WEDDING AT THE CATHEDRAL.

At St. John's Cathedral yesterday the marriage took place of Mr. R. M. Dyer, Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., to Miss Lilian Lowden, of Barrow-in-Furness, formerly Superintendent Sister of the Royal Naval Hospital, who returned to the Colony on Tuesday. The bride was given away by Surgeon Hoskyn, R.N., Mr. Jasper Clark was "best man," and the Naval Chaplain (the Rev. A. C. Moreton) was the officiating clergyman. A reception was afterwards held at the Hongkong Hotel, where many friends offered their felicitations, and the happy couple left the Colony later to spend their honeymoon at Macao.

## TWELFTH NIGHT.

Following is the *caste* of the play:—  
Orsino, Duke of Illyria, also called the Count Mr. W. SEGLER.  
Sebastian, brother to Viola ..... Mr. W. H. HASTINGS.  
Antonio, a sea captain, friend to Sebastian. Mr. J. A. E. BULLOCK.  
A Sea Captain, friend to Viola ..... Mr. J. ROBERTSON.  
Valentine { Gentlemen } Mr. T. W. HILL.  
                  { attending on } Mr. H. G.  
Curio { the Duke } JENNISON.  
Sir Toby Belch, uncle to Olivia ..... Mr. M. S. NORTHCOLE.  
Sir Andrew Aguecheek Mr. L. N. LEFFE.  
Malvolio, steward to Olivia ..... Mr. E. G. LOWDER.  
Fabian { Servants to } Mr. M. M. MAX.  
                  { Olivia } Mr. C. H. P. HAY.  
Feste, a clown ..... Mr. R. HALL.  
Priest ..... Mr. T. E. BISDER.  
1st Officer ..... Mr. G. S. AUCHINCLOSS.  
2nd Officer ..... Mr. H. W. LESTER.  
3rd Officer ..... Mr. T. G. WEALL.  
4th Officer ..... Mr. C. H. P. HAY.  
Olivia ..... Mrs. F. J. HUNTER.  
Maria ..... Mrs. W. H. HASTINGS.  
Viola ..... Mrs. W. H. HASTINGS.

Ladies in waiting:—Mesdames Churchill, Craster, Hoskyn and Lee.  
Pages:—Messrs. W. Christmas, J. Craig, F. Day and W. Mace.  
Guards:—Messrs. P. V. Morris, J. Pester, A. V. Scott and S. M. Scott.  
Musicians:—Under the control of Professor Gonzalez.  
Scene:—A city in Illyria, and the sea-coast near it.

## PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES IN CHINA.

## THE ABOLITION OF PROVINCES CONTEMPLATED.

Following upon the proposal made by the Central Government to divide the country into six military districts, each under the control of a Tungan, comes the news, contained in a Chinese Press message from Peking yesterday, that the Cabinet proposes that the provinces shall be abolished and the country divided into prefectures—40 to 60 in number.

## TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

## ABORTIVE MONARCHIST RISING IN PORTUGAL.

"COMPLETE TRANQUILITY" RESTORED.

MADRID, October 22nd.

Reports of a serious outbreak in Portugal reached Madrid yesterday. A censored message from Lisbon in the afternoon says that a Monarchist Revolution was to have broken out, but only a few groups appeared in the streets, one of which was composed of policemen. The leaders of the movement have disappeared from their homes.

It is rumoured at Tuy that a rising has broken out in Oporto.

LISBON, October 22nd.

Complete tranquillity has been restored. The railway to Oporto, which was temporarily interrupted, has now been repaired.

LONDON, October 22nd.

Censored telegrams from Lisbon show that some fighting took place there to-day in connection with the rising. Large crowds attacked the police station posts and also the Republican guards. Many of the attackers were arrested and the others fled.

The authorities raided a meeting which was taking place at an embroidery factory near the prison at Limoeiro. All present were arrested after a struggle. It is assumed that a conspiracy was on foot to liberate the prisoners. The Government has announced that it is aware of all the designs of the Monarchists and has the situation in hand.

The Portuguese Government has sent a circular to the Legations announcing the complete failure of an attempted rising over the whole country, in connection with which fighting took place in Lisbon yesterday. The Government declares that the whole country is tranquil, and that none connected with the Army and Navy have participated in any act of sedition.

The arrests up to the present, numbering 100, include, however, besides six police, a number of Naval officers and petty officers, most of whom were captured at the Naval Barracks, and also several people of social standing.

The newspapers say that the movement was directed by two Committees, one Civil and the other Military. The signal was to be given by the murder of the Ministers and officials, upon which three columns, organised in the suburbs of Lisbon, were to enter simultaneously. Risings were planned to occur at Oporto, Braga, Evora, and Vienna. The telegraph wires and one railway line were actually cut, but the damage was promptly repaired. Armed bands have appeared at Montalegre, Barca, Alba, Figuera, Cossel Rodrigo, and Penamacor. The Governor of Oporto has issued a Proclamation announcing the crushing of the insurrection, and says the movement possessed great ramifications over the whole country.

## STARTLING AFFAIR IN MEXICO.

A HUNDRED FOREIGN SUBJECTS HELD AS HOSTAGES.

NEW YORK, October 22nd.

A telegram from Mexico says that the constitutional leader, Senor Villa, holds as hostages, at Torreon, twelve British subjects and about one hundred French, Germans, and Spaniards. He declares that all will be sacrificed unless the attempts to re-capture the town are abandoned.

The Washington Government have made representations to President Huerta demanding the protection of the foreigners detained at Torreon.

## PROHIBITIVE IMPORT TAX.

President Huerta has imposed an increase of 50 per cent. on all imports from the 28th inst. This, in addition to the 10 per cent. tax already levied, has driven the business people to despair.

## INCREASED MILITARY SERVICE IN RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, October 22nd.

The Minister of War will shortly submit to the Duma a Bill extending the service to the colours of the one year class by three months.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

## THE INDIAN ARMY.

GENERAL SIR BEAUCHAMP DUFF APPOINTED COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

LONDON, October 22nd.

The *Times* says that General Sir Beauchamp Duff, G.C.B., K.C.V.O., K.C.S.I., Secretary of the Military Department, India Office, and Chief of Staff in India, 1908-09, has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of His Majesty's Army in India.

## THE BYE-ELECTIONS IN GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, October 22nd.

Mr. G. P. Gooch, ex-M.P. for Bath, who is representing the Liberal interests in the bye-election at Reading, states that he is a whole-hearted defender of the Government's past achievements, and also of the present measures.

The Reading Unionist papers express much dissatisfaction at the Insurance Act and the Shops Acts, both Liberal measures. Captain Leslie Wilson, who opposes Mr. Gooch, will rely chiefly on Ulster's opposition to the Home Rule Bill to carry him through.

Viscount Lascelles has been appointed Unionist candidate at Keighley.

The Women's Liberal Association has passed a resolution pledging itself to support Mr. S. O. Buckmaster, who is a Suffragist.

The Socialists at Reading have adopted a candidate in the person of Mr. Butler, of London, the organiser of the Socialist party.

## THE WITHDRAWAL OF SERBIAN TROOPS FROM ALBANIA.

AUSTRIA JUSTIFIES HER DEMANDS.

VIENNA, October 22nd.

In an official statement, the Government affirm that in insisting upon an immediate withdrawal of the Serbian troops they acted in the best interests of Europe and of general peace.

## FRENCH AVIATOR'S DARING PROJECT.

A FLIGHT TO CAIRO.

LONDON, October 22nd.

The French aviator, M. D'Auourt, with a passenger, M. Roux, started from Issy-les-Moulineaux at 8.30 yesterday morning for Schaffhausen on the first stage of a flight to Cairo via Belgrade, Bukharest, Constantinople, Konieh, Aleppo, and Beirut.

LATER.

M. D'Auourt descended at Sens in a gale.

## AUSTRIA FORBIDS EMIGRATION OF RECRUITS.

LONDON, October 22nd.

The Austrian Government has introduced a Bill regulating emigration, forbidding it when it affects recruiting.

## ENGLISH ATHLETES.

MORE MONEY NECESSARY FOR OLYMPIC GAMES SCHEME.

LONDON, October 22nd.

Speaking at a meeting of the Olympic Games Committee in London, the Chairman said that unless £25,000 was raised by the 31st of the year, the Committee would not feel justified in continuing the preparations for the sending of a team of athletes to Berlin.

## THE HOME RULE QUESTION.

LONDON, October 22nd.

Speaking at Bristol, the Right Hon. C. E. H. Hobbes, M.P. for the eastern portion of that city, remarked that he was confident that Home Rule could be settled by accord of the two parties.

## SEQUEL TO INDIAN BANK FAILURES.

BOMBAY BROKER'S HUGE LIABILITIES.

BOMBAY, October 22nd.

A tremendous fall in the Bombay Mill shares has caused a panic in the share market. It is believed to be due to the recent Banking failures.

A well-known broker has failed, with liabilities amounting to 24 lakhs of rupees. The share market is closed.



## TELEGRAMS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

## THE GERMAN AIRSHIP DISASTER.

ROYAL FAMILY ATTENDS FUNERAL OF VICTIMS.

BERLIN, October 22nd.

The Kaiser and Kaiserin, their six sons, the Chancellor, Count Zeppelin, and Herr Smits, together with a large number of prominent Naval and Military officers, attended the funeral of the victims of the recent airship disaster. The funeral was most impressive.

## THE AISGILL DISASTER.

DRIVER FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

LONDON, October 22nd.

At the trial of the driver of the second train in the Aisgill disaster on a charge of manslaughter, the jury returned a verdict of guilty. They supplemented their verdict with a recommendation for mercy. Sentence has been deferred.

## DOM MANUEL'S CONSORT.

MUNICH, October 22nd.

Dom Manuel's Consort has gone to Sigmaringen.

## WIRELESS STATION FOR HONGKONG.

The following correspondence has been forwarded to us for publication by the Secretary of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce:

Letter to the Government.

Hongkong, 11th September, 1913.

SIR,—With reference to the correspondence which has passed between this Chamber and the Government during the past 2½ years as to the pressing need for a suitable Wireless Telegraph Station being erected in this Colony in order to enable vessels at sea to communicate with Hongkong, I am directed by my Committee to ask if any further information has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on this subject.

The arguments in favour of the erection of a commercial wireless station are well understood, and need not be here recapitulated; they were, however, fully set forth in my letter of 25th April, 1911. I would especially beg to bring to your recollection your letter of 16th December, 1912 (No. 1400/1912), the final paragraph of which reads as follows:—

"His Excellency the Governor now proposes to ask the Secretary of State to call for tenders, through the Crown Agents for the Colonies, for a 5 kilowatt station."

And would ask if the Hongkong Government is in a position to make any further statement on the subject and whether they can assure us that the desired steps are being taken to carry out this important work.

As we are now situated the Hongkong Shipping Community is still dependent upon such merchant vessels equipped with wireless installations as may be in the harbour for sending and receiving messages to and from ships at sea. And it not infrequently happens that for several days consecutively no such vessels are in port.

Vessels to the South are thus entirely cut off from any communication with Hongkong, while those to the North are dependent upon the good offices of the Formosan Government, who occasionally pick up messages and transmit them to us by cable *via* Pootow.

This is, of course, a most unsatisfactory state of affairs and one which reflects adversely on a port which in point of tonnage ranks as second in the world.

The prevalence of so much bad weather in the neighbourhood during so large a portion of the year, as caused by the typhoon season in the summer and strong gales during the winter months, renders the need for a wireless station of even greater importance here than possibly at many other large shipping centres.

I am further directed to take this opportunity of again drawing your attention to the urgent need of a wireless station being set up on the Pratas Islands and trust that an early opportunity will be taken by H.M. Government of again pressing this upon the Chinese Authorities.

My Committee would beg that His Excellency will again bring this most important question to the notice of the Secretary of State and trust that at all events before another typhoon season is upon us we may see a suitable wireless station set up in this Colony.—I have the honour to be, etc.,

(Signed) A. R. Lowe,

Acting Secretary.

The Honourable

The Colonial Secretary.

Reply from the Government.

Hongkong, 15th September, 1913.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th September, in which you ask if any further information has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of the proposed Commercial Wireless Telegraphic Station at Hongkong.

2.—There has been no recent communication from the Secretary of State on this subject, but as the Crown Agents for the Colonies were instructed in December last to call for tenders for the erection of the installation it is reasonable to suppose that there will be no great delay in carrying out the work.

3.—A copy of your letter is being sent to the Secretary of State.—I am, Sir, Your obedient servant,

(Signed) A. M. Thomson,

Colonial Secretary.

The Secretary,

Chamber of Commerce,

Hongkong.

## CANTON NOTES.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.]

CANTON, October 20th.

RUMOUR OF OFFICIAL CHANGES.

One of the newspapers to-day reports that it has learned from official sources that the Central Government, believing that measures for the pacification of the province and the reorganisation of the Government can be better conducted by an official who is *au fait* with the conditions of the province, proposes appointing Ling Fook Ping to the post of Civil Governor of Kwangtung. Mr. Li Hoi Sin, if the proposal is finally ratified, will be appointed Civil Governor of the neighbouring province of Kwangsi.

THE SUPPRESSION OF BRIGANDAGE.

The Governor-General has ordered two regiments of Chai Kwan soldiers to be stationed in the Nam Hoi, Pun U, Shun Tak, Heungshan and Sun Wui districts, for the suppression of robberies.

One of Vice-Commissioner Lung's plans for the extermination of brigands has been to allow all ringleaders and their men, who would either surrender their arms or undertake to disband their men, to enlist themselves, and special deputies have been sent out to induce them to do so. Many notorious robber-chiefs have surrendered and gangs of pirates have also availed themselves of the opportunity to change their "profession." But the chance thus offered has tempted many a man of a questionable character to pretend to be a ringleader and recruit men in the hope of becoming a military commander. This has come to the notice of the Commissioner, who, in a circular telegram, urges the arrest and punishment of all such persons and notifies that henceforth no more pirate hordes shall be allowed to surrender. He says he has given them enough time to do so.

THE DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

A further investigation into the disaster reported in Monday's issue discloses that the destructive fire first started on the premises of a wooden house on the large piece of spare ground in front of the 11th Police Station, Honam, around which a considerable number of wooden dwellings and cottages were built, occupied chiefly by seafaring people.

Some reports state that between 600 and 700 of these structures have been destroyed. There appears to be no official means of checking these estimates, but they seem approximately correct. Twenty-three of the adjoining shops have been utterly ruined.

CANTON, October 21st.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

H. E. Tsoi Ngok, the Governor-General of Yunnan, arrived here by train from Hongkong yesterday afternoon, and was received by a guard of honour at the station. Tsoi Ngok, who is the guest of Governor-General Lung during his visit, is reported to be on a tour of investigation to the various provinces in connection with military affairs. His stay in Canton will only be a short one.

THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE.

The Civil Administrator has telegraphed to the Board of Finance urgently requesting them to at once dispatch Mr. Yin Ka Chee, the Finance Commissioner-Designate, to Canton, as Mr. Woo Ming Pun, the acting Commissioner, is at present on official business at Wuchow and the onerous and diverse duties of the post cannot for one day be left unattended to. Mr. Yin, it is understood, has been in Peking during the past fortnight discussing various questions regarding Kwangtung's finances with the Minister of Finance. He was expected to leave the Capital yesterday and will probably reach Canton in the early part of the coming month.

PRIMARY EDUCATION.

The authorities are in receipt of a despatch from the Board of Education to the effect that it has been decided to divide each province into eight "primary school districts," in which 120 elementary schools are to be established. When this is accomplished in every province, there will be 21,120 primary schools in China. Half of the requisite funds will be provided by the Central Government, the remaining half to be supplied by the local Government, who has instructions to make arrangements forthwith.

NO FOREIGN CAPITAL.

The Board of Industry and Commerce has notified the Government that no registration of any mining concern shall be made by the Civil Administrator unless a guarantee note has been issued by the magistrate of the particular district in which the mine proposed to be operated is situated, certifying that such concern has no foreign capital.

MORE KWANGSI SOLDIERS.

Tutuh Lung, deeming it necessary to strengthen the forces, has sent Sin Tung (Tutuh's Senior, Deputy) and two regimental Commanders to Kwangsi in order to augment the Chai Kwan Army by five regiments, which will bring the strength of this army up to 20 regiments.

## ARMY AND POLICE PAY.

A proposition to pay each member of the military and police forces \$8.00 per month in subsidiary coins, instead of what they have been getting in paper currency, has been laid before the Tutuh by Civil Administrator Li. In his communication, Mr. Li says that the current value of a \$1 note is 75 cents in silver coins, and this in spite of the many efforts made to maintain the note currency at par. Therefore it would not be treating the military and police with consideration if they were allowed to suffer this loss indefinitely, bearing in mind the laborious nature of their duties. Besides, it is to be feared that trouble may ensue as a result of alterations between them and the merchants over the acceptance of these discounted notes. If the proposition is adopted, their monthly pay will work out more than what they are now receiving, and at the same time more coins will be circulated in the market, which may help to enhance the value of the paper currency.

THE COMPENSATION QUESTION.

A protest has been lodged by certain shops which were looted during the recent mutiny against the scale on which the Police Department was a couple of days reported to have proposed to distribute compensation. The original proposal, after all, turns out to be somewhat different to what has been reported.

The suggested scale, in fact, is as follows:—

40 per cent. to a shop whose losses do not exceed \$1,000.

40 per cent. on \$1,000, plus 20 per cent. on the remaining amount to a shop whose losses are between \$1,000 and \$5,000.

40 per cent. on \$1,000, plus 20 per cent. on \$4,000, plus 10 per cent. on the remaining sum to a shop whose losses amount to over \$5,000.

The following figures may be read with interest:—

During the recent mutiny:

12 civilians were killed and 26 injured.

To the survivors of each of the former a compensation of \$100 will be paid and to each of the latter \$20.

175 buildings were damaged, to the owners of which 50 per cent. on the extent of damage done will be paid as compensation.

780 shops and houses were looted, the total value of the booty being valued at over \$1,300,000.

## THE BOXER INDEMNITY.

According to northern Chinese paper the Department of Finance has wired to the Shanghai branch of the Bank of China to collect the contributions from the provinces towards the payment of the Boxer Indemnity for the month of October, which reach Taels 17,600,000, and also ordered the provinces to pay the contributions to the said bank at Shanghai. The amounts to be paid by the provinces are as follows:—

|              | Taels.    |
|--------------|-----------|
| Kiangsi      | 2,500,000 |
| Szechwan     | 2,200,000 |
| Kwangtung    | 2,000,000 |
| Kiangsu      | 1,400,000 |
| Chekiang     | 1,400,000 |
| Hupeh        | 1,200,000 |
| Anhui        | 1,000,000 |
| Chihli       | 800,000   |
| Fukien       | 800,000   |
| Hunan        | 700,000   |
| Shensi       | 600,000   |
| Shantung     | 500,000   |
| Honan        | 500,000   |
| Shansi       | 500,000   |
| New Dominion | 400,000   |
| Kansu        | 300,000   |
| Kwangsi      | 300,000   |
| Yunnan       | 300,000   |
| Kweichow     | 200,000   |

## ELOPING BRIDES "CUT OFF."

£200 EACH IN FATHER'S £300,000 WILL.

Three hundred thousand pounds is the estimated value of the estate of the late Mr. William Gaynor, Mayor of New York, whose will was filed for probate recently.

Of this sum only £200 each is bequeathed to his two elder daughters, Edith and Gertrude, who were heroines of two runaway matches. The Mayor never fully forgave them for eloping, though both marriages proved happy and prosperous ones.

The Mayor bequeathed his Brooklyn residence, together with shares yielding an income of some £3,000, to his widow. The remainder of the estate is divided between his three unmarried daughters and two sons in the proportion of one-seventh to each of the former and two-sevenths to each of the latter.

## SUBURBAN SWANK.

A confidant of the Press sends me a capital story which has the merit of being absolutely true. A gentleman was observed at London Bridge with a basket in his hand standing at the entrance to the South-Eastern station. After much hesitation he made a purchase of a haddock, which was hurriedly thrust into the basket. After reaching the platform at London Bridge he quickly drew from his pocket some pheasant's feathers and thrust them into the basket so that the feathers protruded. Half an hour later he was seen carrying his purchase towards his suburban residence in triumph. To take home a haddock and make your neighbours pleasant is a delightful instance of suburban swank.—Mr. G. R. Sims in the Referee.

## COMPANY MEETING.

HEADWATERS MINING CO. INC.

"A STATE OF BANKRUPTCY."

A meeting of shareholders in this Company was held yesterday at the Hongkong Hotel.

Reporters were not admitted to the meeting, but the following report was subsequently supplied:—

Those present were Dr. J. W. Noble (president) in the chair, Sir Paul Chater, Very Rev. Father Robert (directors), Messrs. Ho Fook, C. E. Warren, and Geo. T. Lloyd (shareholders).

Dr. Noble said:—Gentlemen:—We have called you together to-day to ascertain your wishes as to the future of this Company. You now have in your hands the Balance Sheet signed by the auditor and ending December 31st, 1912 and a statement showing the financial position of the Company on June 30th, 1913, as supplied to us by Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co., General Managers, who worked the mine on lease for a considerable period under conditions which I will refer to later. On 16th February, 1912, Mr. Hibberd of Laguna, who held a first mortgage of 40,000 pesos against the Headwaters Mining Company took steps to foreclose that mortgage and enter into possession of your property. His reason for such action was that at that date no interest had been paid to him with respect to this mortgage which was at that time overdue. He also applied to the Court to have a Receiver appointed, nominating himself for that position. The Court acceded to his request, and he was forthwith appointed Receiver of the Company and took possession of the mine.

The amount the Company owed to Mr. Hibberd at that time was 1st Mortgage ..... P.40,000.—Interest, claims for wages brought up by him, etc. .... 8,825.95

A total indebtedness of ..... P.48,825.95 On 6th November 1911 we called you together in the offices of Messrs. Deacon Looker and Deacon, and there discussed the raising of funds to pay off Mr. Cole and salaries and wages then due. The shareholders at that meeting subscribed \$304.39 and your Directors guaranteed an overdraft of \$4,698.84 (not yet paid) in addition, to meet sundry urgent expenses which had to be met at that time to enable Mr. Cole to visit Hongkong. Since then the Board of Directors have guaranteed and advanced various sums of money amounting with the overdraft, to over 7,600 pesos, without any security whatever but with the undertaking on the part of the Company that the overdraft and amount advanced by the Directors should be paid before other claims.

The Board consisting of Sir Paul Chater, the Very Reverend Father Robert and Doctor Noble, to meet Mr. Hibberd's claim and to free the property, subscribed 45,000 pesos. Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. and their friends in Manila subscribed another 10,000 pesos, a total of 55,000 pesos cash, with the object of paying to Mr. Hibberd the amount of money due him on his mortgage etc., and to have him transfer the mortgage to them, but he refused to make the transfer. A new mortgage was then made in favour of the parties just mentioned.

Shortly thereafter a proposition made to the Company by Mr. Philipson of Manila was accepted and an arrangement come to with him whereby he leased the mine from the Company and agreed to work the same, on terms which were very favourable to your Company, inasmuch as the Company ran no risk whatever in the event of the failure of the mine to pay expenses, Mr. Philipson assuming all responsibility as to that. Mr. Philipson worked the mine on this so-called lease for a few months after which Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. of Manila assumed all responsibility for this lease and carried on on the same lines that Mr. Philipson had formerly done. Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. since that time, at considerable risk to themselves, worked the mine under their own supervision until the 30th of June on which date they ceased work having terminated the lease by giving due notice to your Directors of their intention so to do.

One of the conditions of this lease was, that all the expenses of working were to be borne by them and any surplus after paying the expenses of working was to be utilized in reducing the debts by paying off if possible the unsecured creditors and Directors. You must recognize the fact, for it is a fact, that at the time Mr. Hibberd foreclosed his mortgage your Company was in a hopeless state of bankruptcy. The Company, though in a state of bankruptcy then and now, has been carried on through the support given to it, not by the shareholders, but by Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. of Manila and by your Directors. The support given by Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. was twofold; first in providing a portion of the money with which Mr. Hibberd's claim was satisfied, then by assuming all responsibility under the lease by which the mine was carried on until the 30th of

June last. Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. did not see their way to continue the risk after June 30th and on this date their active support in this direction ceased. The mine is now in the hands of a native caretaker, whose pay is 50 pesos a month. The Treasury is empty and there is no money available to pay either wages, such as the wages of a caretaker, or salaries or to pay any expenses which may from time to time crop up, such as interest on mortgages, assessment work which it is not only necessary but imperative shall be done within the next few months, or all your rights to the mine will be forfeited and lost.

There are two mortgages on the property, the face values of which amount to 72,650 pesos. No interest has ever been paid on either.

The first mortgage is for P.55,000.—

The second ..... P.17,650.—

..... P.72,650.—

Interest to June 30 ..... P.8,813.12

Total ..... P.87,463.12

For eighteen months past this property has not been carried on by the shareholders but by others whose support has now been withdrawn. As no one is willing to advance to the Company the funds necessary to pay even the wages of the caretaker who is in charge of the property, it is for you to decide what shall be done with the property. There are several courses open to you, you can abandon the property entirely (as you have practically already done by your non-support) in which event the mortgagees must do something to protect themselves, or you can put up the capital necessary to pay your debts and to develop and work the mine. The debts, now long overdue, amount to about 144,000 pesos. If you abandon the mine the shareholders will lose everything. Those who have advanced the money on mortgage have as yet received no interest on the money so advanced. For eighteen months past all expenses have been met by Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co., or by the mortgage holders, or by your Directors. Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. do not see their way to continue these payments, neither do the mortgagees, nor the Directors; therefore these payments have ceased. For two years you have not put up one penny towards maintaining this property and it has been carried on without money from you.

There is, your Directors consider, but one course for you to pursue if you desire to retain the property and that is to put up new capital. Are you prepared to do this? If so to what extent? The capital at the moment is divided into 65,000 shares of 10 pesos each. If you elect this course, which is the simplest method of dealing with the situation, you must provide enough cash to pay your debts, which amounted on June 30th, 1913 to Pesos 144,703.85.

You must then have capital for developing and working the mine. A large amount of developing work must still be done before this mine can be said to be "proved." That gold can be taken out we know, yet we have not made it a paying proposition. Whether gold can in the future be taken out in payable quantities or not we do not as yet know; we can only tell you what has been done in the past.

If you are willing to find P.250,000 in cash that will be sufficient to pay off your debts and leave a balance which will, we think, be sufficient to enable you to prove whether this mine is worth spending more money on or not. That a certain amount of ore was blocked out is true, but nothing like the quantity we were led to believe, all statements to the contrary notwithstanding. That it is a gold mine that can be profitably worked as a business proposition has not been proved; it is, we consider, still really a prospect, but a good prospect. The caretaker's wages for July, August, and September, were paid by Messrs. Smith, Bell & Co. in July, August, and part of September. The pay was P.155 per month; they absolutely refuse to continue these payments and in this we thoroughly sympathize with them. There is no reason why they should and they cannot be expected to do so. The October wages will soon be due—who will pay them? The present position is this: Your liabilities amount to P.144,000.—There is no cash in the treasury. Assessment work must be done at once or the claims will be jumped and re-acted by others and the property lost to all now interested therein. This makes it imperative that money must be put up by you, or you will lose the mines. If you do not put this money up the mortgagees must take steps to protect themselves; this means foreclosure and the end of the Headwaters Mining Company. Now gentlemen, what will you do? Let us know your wishes.

Dr. Noble: I may add that I have in this box all the papers, facts, and figures that the directors present in connection with this Company. I have brought them with me so as to be able to answer fully any question you may ask. I regret to see that shareholders take so little interest, as there are only three present. We have carried on hoping against hope till now—being enticed as it were by promises of better times in the future. Those times have not come. That is all the business, gentlemen. Thank you for your attendance.

## SHANGHAI ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

At the annual meeting of the St. Andrew's Society at Shanghai last week Mr. W. S. Livingston was elected president of the Society and Mr. C. E. Anton vice-president. Mr. W. Laidlaw was elected hon. secretary, and Mr. A. T. Downie hon. treasurer. A member mentioned the case of a young man "of true Highland parentage" whom three members had refused to put up for membership of the Society because he happened to have been born in England. The Chairman said there had been a misapprehension which should be removed. Every person of Scottish parentage was eligible, no matter where he was born.—It was decided to celebrate St. Andrew's Day with a Ball, to be held on the Friday preceding St. Andrew's Day, which falls on Sunday, and it was left to the committee to arrange the Burns' birthday programme.—The meeting voted \$200 for the bursaries for Scottish boys and girls.

## FOOTBALL.

HONGKONG ASSOCIATION LEAGUE.

As only four teams have entered for the second division of this competition, it has been decided to extend the time for entering. Suitable clubs, especially civilians, are invited to send applications to either of the Hon. Secretaries, Mr. A. S. Ellis or Bomb. J. F. Woods.

A detective who was on duty at the Ferry Wharf noticed a Chinese with a rather large bag in his possession. He went up to the man, and requested him to open it. Inside were found two blankets, which, it eventually transpired, belonged to the French mail steamer just in from Home. At the Magistrate's yesterday a steward on board the vessel gave evidence of identification and the defendant was sentenced to a month's hard labour and four hours' stocks.

## INTIMATIONS

## PIMPLES SPREAD DOWN SIDE OF FACE

Could Not Sleep At Night for Itching and Scratching. Spread to Head, Hair Began to Fall Off. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

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"Some two years ago I broke out down the side of my face with some pimples. They got worse and they spread down the side of my face. I could not sleep at night for itching and scratching, and also got so I would not go out as I was a very bad sight to look at. It spread to my head and the hair began to fall off my head. I was told it was eczema. I commenced to try some salves and ointments but found that they did not do me any good but I got worse. I had several bottles of medicine that did not do me any good and I got discouraged about my case."

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## FOR SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship  
"INDIA,"  
Captain C. G. Talbot, R.N.R., will leave for Shanghai TO-MORROW, the 24th inst., at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
E. A. HEWETT,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, 21st October, 1913. [1]

## FROM EUROPE.

THE K.A.L. Steamship

"SAMBIA,"  
Capt. W. Hessel, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., at Hongkong and/or Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills of Lading countersigned by the Undersigned.  
Optional Cargo will be carried on unless notice to the contrary be given TO-DAY.  
All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.  
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd inst. will be subject to rent.  
All broken, chafed, and damaged goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 23rd inst., at 9.30 A.M.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.  
HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.  
Hongkong Office.  
Hongkong, 22nd October, 1913. [1235]

## FROM EUROPE.

THE K.A.L. Steamship

"SEGOVIA,"  
Captain F. Buch, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Hongkong and/or Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills of Lading countersigned by the Undersigned.  
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No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.  
This Steamer brings on Cargo:  
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Ex.s.s. "Jelo" from Drammen.  
HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.  
Hongkong Office.  
Hongkong, 22nd October, 1913. [1237]

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BROWN AUSTRALIAN SHEEP DOG (Bitch). Answers to the name of "LIESE". White on feet and end of tail. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to  
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Hongkong, 22nd October, 1913. [1234]

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Hongkong, 18th October, 1913. [1219]

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Hongkong, 15th October, 1913. [1213]

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Hongkong, 22nd October, 1913. [1232]

## INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the premises of that Company, Peddar Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of October, 1913, at 12 o'clock Noon, when the Subjoined Resolution will be proposed—  
That the following new Article be inserted in the Company's Articles of Association after Article 10 thereof—

10A. "The Company shall pay Dividend, in respect of any existing or new Shares of the Company, in proportion to the amount paid up on each Share where a larger amount is paid up on some Shares than on others."  
Should the above Resolution be passed by the required majority, it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
J. H. TAGGART,  
Acting Secretary.  
Dated this 15th day of October, 1913. [1205]

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

## NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING of Members will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 29th October, 1913, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Office of the Jockey Club, on the Ground Floor of the HONGKONG CLUB ANNEXE, Chater Road.

By Order,  
T. J. HOUGH,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 10th October, 1913. [1211]

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Hongkong, 26th July, 1913. [907]

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Hongkong, 15th October, 1913. [45]

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## INTIMATIONS

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Hongkong, 3rd October, 1913. [1158]

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

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Hongkong, 1st October, 1913. [65]

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Hongkong, 16th October, 1913. [1214]

## TO LET

## TO BE LET.

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## THE OPIUM CASE.

## CHARGE AGAINST A BROKER.

At the Magistrate's yesterday, before Mr. J. R. Wood, the hearing was concluded of the case in which Ivor Gougey, aged 30, a broker, was charged with being deficient in his opium stock according to the permits issued by the Superintendent of Imports and Exports.

The Crown Solicitor (Mr. P. M. Hodgson) prosecuted, and Mr. M. W. Slade, K.C. (instructed by Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, of Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Deacon & Harston), appeared for the defence.

Mr. Slade said he thought it would be convenient if he set out the facts he proposed to prove, and then shortly argue the position in regard to the law if that became necessary. The facts as detailed by Mr. Hodgson, and proved in evidence, were not in dispute at all. The additional facts he proposed to prove were that the chests which were in Sassoon's godown in Lee House Street were identically the same in all respects as the chests which were in Talati's godown in Duddell Street, and which were removed from the latter godown to the former under the appropriate permits with regard to those.

There were two permits to cover the whole 15 cases. He would prove that these cases were received into Talati's godown in exactly the same condition and that they were the same chests as were received into Duddell Street, remained there for some considerable time, and were sent on to Sassoon's godown. "Unfortunately he was unable to trace them further back, as the man who was in charge of them from the Kowloon Godowns to Talati's godown left the Colony a day or two ago, having fallen ill, and his evidence was not available; otherwise they could have traced them right away through from the very first permit to the present day. So far as the evidence he would be able to adduce showed, the chests had been in the same condition the whole time. There was no question that the chests as landed were not the chests concerned in the charge. The chests which were landed were double the size, or thereabouts, of those with which the Court was concerned, and some time or other they could not prove when these small cases were substituted for the bigger chests. There was not the slightest doubt about that. The substitution did not take place in Sassoon's godown nor in Talati's godown; the only other time it could have been done was in the cargo boat across the Harbour. There was no proof that this was so, but it was a conceivable possibility. They were weighed in at the Kowloon Godowns, but they were not weighed out. He was sorry to say they had no information to put before his Worship as to the condition of the cases when they were landed. Mr. Gougey himself never saw the chests. He would put the defendant in the box, not because he had any material evidence, but because he desired that the Court should have the very fullest possible information, and that the matter might be cleared up. The only other information he could give was in regard to the importation of Persian opium. Persian opium which came via Bombay, if the chests had been landed in Bombay, never exceeded 140 lbs. in net weight. If it was merely transhipment cargo, the weights ran up to 130 lbs. A certain quantity of Persian opium came out to this Colony, not from Persia direct, but via Europe, and that cargo came out in chests of all sizes, both bigger and smaller than those which were in question in this case. Persian opium was not sold by the chest on the market in Hongkong; it was sold by weight.

The defendant was then called, and gave evidence in regard to the facts set forth by Counsel.

At the conclusion of his evidence he was cross-examined at length by the Crown Solicitor, who asked why he had the opium consigned to him in such large chests, and the defendant answered that it was at the wish of the shipper. He admitted that opium generally came in small chests when sent through Bombay.

Mr. Hodgson—Is it not a fact that nearly all the Persian opium that comes into this Colony comes from Bombay?—No. Very often we get it from somewhere else.

Where?—From Singapore and London. So far as you are concerned until quite recently all your importations were small chests?—Yes.

Will you tell me where these extraordinary-sized chests were destined for?—They were to be sold in Hongkong.

Do you agree with me that a permit for the removal of a chest of opium from one place to another would, ordinarily, mean the removal of a small chest, having regard to the trade and conditions in this Colony?—I have no idea about that. The permit is for the removal of one chest.

Did it not occur to you that when you asked for a permit, and got it, for the removal of these chests, that you were getting a permit to remove more opium than the Imports and Exports Office were aware of?—No. I took these cases as ordinary cases.

I put it to you that you must have known that you were getting a permit to remove more opium than the Office could be aware of unless you told them?—No, I knew nothing about it.

Why did you get a permit for the chests removed from the s.s. *Assaye* to keep them in the godown?—Because I was negotiating for a loan first. I wanted to see which godown would take them.

In reply to further questions, the defendant said he had no idea that the cases which were brought to Hongkong by the *Assaye* were under suspicion. He believed that it was not till after his arrest that he was informed that the cases had been suspected.

The Crown Solicitor—I suggest that your memory does not serve you correctly in this instance. I suggest, you were told of this before your arrest?—I do not think so.

What did you not go to your solicitor (Mr. Shenton) before your arrest in regard to this case?—No. I cannot remember having done so. Immediately after I was arrested I went to Mr. Shenton, as I was puzzled and hardly knew what to do.

Assuming that this opium is stolen it means a loss of about \$20,000, does it not?—Yes, somewhere about that.

What steps are you taking in the matter?—You have not reported it to the police, have you?—No. I am investigating the matter.

What is the extent of your investigation?—What steps have you taken to find out these thieves?—Well, I am investigating privately.

Can you tell me why you put these chests in Mr. Judah's godown without getting a receipt for them?—Because I wanted to arrange for a loan.

Now I am going to put a supposition to you, and I will ask you if you agree with me. Suppose that a man brought in chests of opium big chests—and he extracted, say, half from each of those chests and made the rest up into small chests—he had got his permit, of course, and removed these chests to the place where the permit said they should be. It would be a great advantage to have the opium in his hands without a permit?—I cannot say anything about that.

The Crown Solicitor—Suppose you have got your permit for a chest of opium. Say, you have got a big chest, and extracted half of that chest, and make the other part of the opium into an ordinary-sized case. You have got your permit to put that into the godown, and the other half you have in your hands?—I really deny any idea about these things.

The Crown Solicitor—Surely you can sell the other part of the opium?—I say nothing about such things.

His Worship asked Mr. Hodgson to explain a little more clearly as to what would be the advantage.

The Crown Solicitor—My point is this: The principal advantage of a permit is that the Imports and Exports Office knows where every bit of opium is, and if you have got opium without a permit, then it is untraceable. It can go into China, or can be moved here, there, and everywhere, and has more markets.

The Crown Solicitor—Can you tell me why it is you are importing Persian opium from London?—It is consigned to me.

And you are sending opium back to London at the same time?—No. The opium that comes to me from London is sold in Hongkong, and that which comes from Persia belongs to my clients, and they wish me to send it to London that they may have it to do with me. That is their business.

Can you tell me why you stopped a recent consignment coming out here to Hongkong at Singapore?—Because it suited me. I could sell it in Singapore.

That was a later consignment than that by the s.s. *Assaye*?—I cannot say exactly.

Those were large-sized chests also, were they not?—Some of them were.

I will put this to you.—You can deny it if you like—I suggest to you that you import Persian opium through Bombay from Persia, in small cases, then export it to London, and re-import it in large cases?—No.

It is quite possible to do it?—I do not know. I cannot tell you.

A further witness (a Chinese godown keeper) was called for the defence.

Mr. Slade submitted that the Crown had not established a case, and that if any case had been established, in his Worship's opinion, then he submitted that he had completely answered that case.

According to the Ordinance the Crown had not proved that at the time the opium was held under any permit the chests were larger than the ones at the present time. The opium coming into the Kowloon Godown was weighed, and then the defendant applied for a permit. What it might have been when it went out he did not say. Mr. Slade also contended that it was quite possible that the opium had been taken by harbour thieves.

His Worship knew how marvelously clever such people were, and he (Mr. Slade) believed he was right in saying that two or three years ago a case came before His Worship, in which certain people were charged with stealing opium, and the way in which those persons opened the boxes and filled them up with inferior goods was wonderfully ingenious. Because Mr. Gougey did not find out that this opium had been stolen before the Revenue Officers did, the Crown were asking for a heavy fine to be inflicted upon him. "It is a most extraordinary prosecution," he added, "and I do not really believe that I have anything to answer."

The Crown Solicitor briefly replied. The Ordinance stipulated, he said, that the opium must be where the permit said it should be, and if it was not then the law said that the man must be liable. It was very necessary, too, in this Colony, because a man must be responsible for bringing stuff into the Colony. If he was responsible, and the opium was not found where it should be, then he was liable. It was not sufficient for him to come into Court and say that the Ordinance was of no use, and that he knew nothing about it. The movements of his opium, the actions of the defendant, and the current situations in which the defendant found himself in regard to this \$20,000 worth of opium, were, he submitted, extraordinary, and was not the sort of position they would expect to find a man like Mr. Gougey in.

In reply to his Worship, the Crown Solicitor said there was no question of the forfeiture of the opium.

His Worship remanded the case until next Wednesday morning, at 9.30 a.m.

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DILLMOUTH, British str., 2,507, Hill, 19th October—Balik Papan 15th October, Bulk Oil.—Asiatic Petroleum Co.

CHOWTAN, German str., 1,115, E. Gathe-mann, 18th October—Bangkok 11th October, Rice.—Butterfield & Swire.

COWRIK, British str., 3,155, Cooper, 8th October—Wocung 5th October, Bal-last—Asiatic Petroleum Co.

DAYLIGHT, British str., 3,539, C. Anderson, 20th October—Kobe 8th October, General.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

DRUMMELAN, British str., 1,820, Watt, 18th October—Taiping 7th October, General.—Standard Oil Co.

ELBERT, German str., 931, Berg, 18th October—Phu Nang 18th October, Salt.—Jensen & Co.

ERNEST SIMONS, French str., 2,890, Brunot, 21st October—Marseilles 21st September, General.—Messageries Maritimes.

GERMANIA, German str., 3,360, C. Jensen, 19th October—Sydney 6th September, General.—Siemens & Co.

HELMGUT, German str., 2,900, Hollern, 21st October—Karatu 15th October, Beans.—Doddwell & Co.

HOPSANO, British str., 1,350, C. A. Robertson, 19th October—Chingwan 12th October, Coal.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HUE, French str., 716, Cornelissen, 19th October—Haiphong 18th October, General.—A. R. Marry.

HUIKOW, British str., 1,222, G. Hooker, 21st October—Tientsin 11th October, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

JAPAN, British str., 3,087, Seddon, 19th October—Mojil 14th October, Coal.—David Sassoon & Co.

JELONGA, British str., 3,360, J. R. O. Sullivan, 20th October—Mojil 14th October, General.—David Sassoon & Co.

KAISER FRANZ JOSEPH I, Austria-Hungary, 4,000, H. Ritt v. Nauts, 21st October—Chingwan 15th October, General.—Chingwan 15th October.

KIANG PING, Chinese str., 1,922, Weidmann, 19th October—Wuhu 12th October, Rice.—Chinese.

KIUKIANG, British str., 1,229, Robertson, 18th October—Newchwang 8th October, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

KUMCHOW, British str., 1,423, Martin, 19th October—Olangapo 10th October, Sugar.—Chinese.

KUTSANG, British str., 3,109, R. C. D. Bradley, 19th October—Singapore 13th October, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

KWANGLOO, Chinese str., 1,468, McArthur, 10th October—Shanghai 7th October, General.—Chinese.

KWONGSANG, British str., 1,415, Richard, 20th October—Swatow 19th October, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

KYODO MARU, Japanese str., 1,952, Moriaki, 5th October—Newchwang 20th September, Coal.—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

LAERTES, British str., 1,240, Wawn, 20th October—Saigon 16th October, General.—Chinese.

LOOKSANG, British str., 1,093, W. G. G. Leask, 21st October—Manila 18th October, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

LECHOW, British str., 1,231, Meathrel, 19th October—Shanghai 16th October, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

LYSANG, British str., 1,644, A. C. A. Cornock, 16th October—Sandakan 10th October, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

NILE, British str., 3,135, G. S. Lapraik, 21st October—San Francisco 20th September, General.—Pacific Mail S.S. Co.

PHUWANG, British str., W. C. Bird, 4th October—Saigon 29th September, General.—Chinese.

SABINE RICKMERS, Dutch str., 573, B. Y. Jagt, 13th October—Haiphong 11th October, Bulk Oil.—Asiatic Petroleum Co.

SANSEN, German str., 998, Fr. Bucking, 21st October—Swatow 9th October, Rice.—Butterfield & Swire.

SEXTA, German str., 992, Jensen, 21st October—Swatow 20th October, Rice.—Chinese.

SIKIANO, French str., 615, J. Pannier, 7th October—Haiphong 4th October, General.—Messageries Maritimes.

TAISHUN, Chinese str., 1,218, B. G. Paramore, 19th October—Shanghai 16th October, General.—Chinese.

TAIWAN, British str., 1,043, Jenkins, 20th October—Saigon 16th October, Rice.—Chinese.

TANGO MARU, Japanese str., 4,627, M. Yoshikawa, 20th October—Nagasaki 15th October, General.—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

ULV, Norwegian str., 885, J. Pedersen, 19th October—Bangkok 9th October, Rice.—Chinese.

WOWOKO, German str., 998, H. Oltmanns, 18th October—Bangkok 14th October, Rice and General.—Butterfield & Swire.

YU SHUN, Chinese str., 1,097, A. B. Baines, 18th October—Tientsin 11th October, General.—Chinese.

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Per P. & O. str. *Mongolia*, connecting with the str. *Devania* at Colombo. From London October 3rd and from Marseilles October 10th.—To Hongkong: Mr. H. H. Compertz.

Per P. & O. str. *Sardinia*, from London October 4th.—To Hongkong: Mrs. G. P. and Miss Lamert and children, Mrs. Barrington, Mrs. Bolton, Miss P. Keith, Miss C. M. Forrest, Mrs. Martin and child, Miss H. Gibson, Mrs. J. Bucknill and child, Miss N. Wilden, Miss B. E. Newcombe, Miss Bridges, Miss McCurry, Mrs. E. Dawson and child, Miss A. Armstrong, Miss C. Boyatt, Miss F. O'Dell, Mrs. J. S. Doble, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Harlow and children, Mr. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rothney and children.

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Per P. & O. str. *Borneo*, from London November 1st.—To Hongkong: Miss M. C. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Spriggs, Mr. M. Bain, Mrs. Copley Poyle and child.

Per N.Y.K. str. *Mishima Maru*, from London September 13th.—To Hongkong: Miss L. A. Lovden, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carter, Mrs. Dalziel, Master G. and Miss J. Dalziel, Mrs. E. Coppin, Master A. Coppin, Miss Coppin, Mr. J. S. McIntosh, Mr. W. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Kitching, Masters H. D. and G. Kitching, Miss J. Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hadley, Miss Hadley, Miss Wells, Mrs. Ransom, Miss Lattimer, Mr. S. L'Amoreux, Mr. C. B. Hayes, Miss A. Fairgrieve, Miss M. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. C. Inchen.

## WEATHER REPORT.

On the 22nd at 11.50 a.m.—Pressure has increased slightly over China and decreased slightly over Japan and the Philippines.

A moderate anti-cyclone covers China. Moderate to fresh monsoon is indicated along the east coast of China and over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day is as follows:

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South coast of China between the same as Hongkong and Hainan

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N.E. winds, moderate to fresh; fine.

## CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

22ND OCTOBER, 1913, A.M.

| 32ND OCTOBER, 1913, A.M. |       |                            |              |           |                    |        |          |
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| Station.                 | Hour. | Barometer<br>at Sea Level. | Temperature. | Humidity. | Wind<br>Direction. | Force. | Weather. |
| Vladivostok              | 7 a.  | 30.10                      | 36           | —         | NE                 | 1      | b        |
| Nemuro                   | 6 a.  | 30.05                      | —            | —         | SE                 | 1      | —        |
| Hakodate                 | —     | 30.03                      | —            | —         | NE                 | 1      | —        |
| Tokio                    | —     | 30.05                      | —            | —         | NW                 | 1      | —        |
| Kobe                     | —     | 30.05                      | —            | —         | SW                 | 1      | —        |
| Nagasaki                 | —     | 30.09                      | —            | —         | NNE                | 1      | —        |
| Kagoshima                | —     | 30.12                      | —            | —         | NNE                | 1      | —        |
| Oshima                   | —     | 30.10                      | —            | —         | SSW                | 1      | —        |
| Naha                     | —     | 30.07                      | —            | —         | NNE                | 1      | —        |
| Islijima                 | —     | 30.05                      | —            | —         | NNE                | 2      | —        |
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| Chefoo                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Weihaeiwei               | —     | 30.21                      | 50           | 72        | NNW                | 4      | ob       |
| Hankow                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Ichang                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Kinkiang                 | —     | 30.23                      | 56           | 78        | NE                 | 1      | b        |
| Changsha                 | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Shanghai                 | —     | 30.23                      | 45           | —         | NE                 | 1      | b        |
| Guthrie                  | —     | 30.19                      | 60           | —         | NNE                | 2      | by       |
| Sharp Peak               | 7 a.  | 30.19                      | 69           | —         | W                  | 1      | b        |
| Amoy                     | 6 a.  | 30.10                      | 69           | 65        | N                  | 4      | b        |
| Singapore                | —     | 30.09                      | 84           | 89        | N                  | 1      | b        |
| Taihouk                  | 5 a.  | 30.13                      | —            | —         | —                  | 0      | —        |
| Taiwan                   | —     | 30.09                      | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Koshun                   | —     | 30.01                      | —            | —         | NE                 | 2      | —        |
| Pescadores               | —     | 30.04                      | —            | —         | NE                 | 10     | —        |
| Canton                   | 9 a.  | 30.18                      | 80           | 70        | N                  | 2      | b        |
| Hongkong                 | 6 a.  | 30.11                      | 72           | 72        | NNE                | 1      | b        |
| Gap Rock                 | —     | 30.09                      | —            | —         | —                  | 3      | c        |
| Macao                    | —     | 30.09                      | 72           | —         | NNE                | 1      | c        |
| Wenchow                  | 9 a.  | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Hollow                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Peking                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Panhai                   | —     | —                          | —            | —         | —                  | —      | —        |
| Pouroua                  | 6 a.  | 30.12                      | 78           | —         | NNW                | 3      | c        |
| St. James                | —     | 30.02                      | 77           | —         | W                  | 2      | sh       |
| Marri                    | —     | 29.96                      | 74           | —         | NNE                | 2      | sh       |
| Manila                   | —     | 29.92                      | 74           | —         | SW                 | 1      | p        |
| Legaspi                  | —     | 29.89                      | 71           | —         | —                  | 0      | b        |
| Bacolod                  | 9 a.  | 29.91                      | 81           | —         | NW                 | 1      | c        |
| Holo                     | —     | —                          | —            | —         | W                  | 0      | c        |
| Tobu                     | —     | 29.91                      | 85           | —         | W                  | 0      | b        |







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## EASTWARD.

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| SIBERIA<br>18,000 tons, twin screws   |                       |                                                        |                                                        |
| NILE<br>11,000 tons                   |                       |                                                        |                                                        |
| CHINA<br>10,200 tons                  |                       |                                                        |                                                        |
| PERSIA<br>9,000 tons                  |                       |                                                        |                                                        |

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| Intermediate | to LONDON | Single | 36     | 6 Months Return | 54   |

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| STEAMERS  | Tons   | Sailing | TUESDAY, 28th Oct., at 9.45 A.M.  |
|-----------|--------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| NILE      | 11,000 |         | SATURDAY, 8th Nov., at 1 p.m.     |
| MONGOLIA  | 27,000 |         | TUESDAY, 25th Nov., at Noon.      |
| MANCHURIA | 27,000 |         | TUESDAY, 9th Dec., at 1 p.m.      |
| KOREA     | 18,000 |         | TUESDAY, 16th Dec., at 1 p.m.     |
| SIBERIA   | 18,000 |         | TUESDAY, 30th Dec., at Noon.      |
| CHINA     | 10,200 |         | TUESDAY, 6th Jan., at 1 p.m.      |
| MANCHURIA | 27,000 |         | SATURDAY, 10th Jan., at 9.45 A.M. |
| NILE      | 11,000 |         |                                   |

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| FROM HONGKONG.   | ARRIVE MANILA. | FROM MANILA. | DUE HONGKONG. |
|------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|
| 28th Oct. NILE   | 30th Oct.      | MONGOLIA     | 1st Nov.      |
| 25th Nov. PERSIA | 27th Nov.      | PERSIA       | 17th Nov.     |
| 30th Dec. CHINA  | 1st Jan.       | KOREA        | 23rd Nov.     |
| 10th Jan. NILE   | 12th Jan.      | CHINA        | 22nd Dec.     |
| 7th Feb. PERSIA  | 9th Feb.       | MANCHURIA    | 28th Dec.     |

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| DESTINATION                    | STEAMERS     | TONS  | DATE OF SAILING. |
|--------------------------------|--------------|-------|------------------|
| SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, ST. HELENA | "ST. HELENA" | 7,500 | On 3rd Nov.      |
| KOBE and MOJI                  |              |       |                  |

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| FOR                         | STEAMER                                           | TO SAIL |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------|
| MARSEILLES VIA PORTS        | (ATLANTIQUE) On 4th November.<br>Capt. Charbonnel |         |
|                             | (ERNEST SIMONS) On 18th November.<br>Capt. Brunot |         |
| SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA | (AMAZON) On 3rd November.<br>Capt. Girard         |         |
|                             | (AUSTRALIEN) On 17th November.<br>Capt. Goubault  |         |

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| FROM HONGKONG. | PROPOSED SAILINGS. | FROM COLOMBO |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 25th Oct.      | "MIRAMICHI"        | 15th Nov.    |

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## HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.

THURSDAY, 23RD OCT., 1913.

|                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| 8 a.m. HONAM    | 8 a.m. HEUNGSHAN |
| 10 p.m. FATSHAN | 5 p.m. KINSHAN   |

FRIDAY, 24TH OCT., 1913.

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| 8 a.m. HEUNGSHAN | 8 a.m. HONAM   |
| 10 p.m. KINSHAN  | 5 p.m. FATSHAN |

A Telephone Service has been recently installed on the Canton Company's Steamers Day Steamers Call No. 776, Night Steamers Call No. 775.

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S.S. SUI TAI, Tons 1,651. S.S. SUI AN, Tons 1,651.

## HONGKONG TO MACAO.

Week days at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. Sundays at 9 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

## MACAO TO HONGKONG.

Week days at 7.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Sundays at 7.30 a.m. and 2 p.m.

## EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 26TH OCTOBER, 1913.

The Company's Steamship "SUI AN"  
Will depart from the WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 a.m. and return from Macao at 5 p.m. N.B.—The Company will also run a Steamer from Macao on Sunday morning at 7.30 a.m., and from Hongkong at 12.30 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. This Steamer connects with the Excursion Steamer returning from Macao at 5 p.m.

## FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

## CANTON-MACAO LINE.

S.S. HOI-SANG, 457 tons

Departures from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 p.m.; Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 p.m.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD., AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

## CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. SAIYAN, 588 tons, and S.S. NANNING, 569 tons.

One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct Steamers LINYAN and SANUI. These vessels have superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Fan in each Cabin. Booking Office open daily (Sunday excepted) 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO. LTD.,  
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## WESTERN PACIFIC DENVER AND RIO GRANDE.

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|------------------|--------------|
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MONTHLY FAST SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE).  
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S.S. "BOHEMIA," 7,900 tons, will leave as above on 15th November, at 4 p.m. Superior accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class passengers, no surtax, no tips, no inside Cabins. Doc Stowage, Laundry, Wireless Telegraphy.

FARES: Hongkong-Trieste (Venice), £50 1st, £35 2nd, £19 3rd Class.  
MONTHLY ORDINARY SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE) VIA STRAITS (CALCUTTA), COLOMBO, ADEN, SUVAZ and PORT SAID.  
S.S. "PERSIA," 12,500 tons, will leave as above about 1st November.  
These Steamers of large tonnage are fitted with comfortable and clean accommodation for Saloon Passengers. No Surtax. Doctor, Stowage, Wireless Telegraphy.

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TO SHANGHAI  
S.S. "BOHEMIA," 7,900 tons, will leave as above on 1st November, at 6 a.m.  
FARES: Hongkong-Shanghai, £26 1st, £24 2nd, £22 3rd Class.  
TO KOBE VIA SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA.  
S.S. "NIPPON," 13,900 tons, will leave as above about 30th October.

Cargo taken at through rates to all ports in Adriatic, Levant, Black Sea & Danube, also North & South America.

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Hongkong, 17th October, 1913. Prince's Building. [52]

# NIPPON YUSEN KAIS

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.)

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—  
SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

| DESTINATION                                                                        | STEAMERS AND DISPLACEMENT         | TONS   | SAILING DATE                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|
| MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP, via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, SUEZ and PORT SAID | KAMO MARU<br>Capt. Kawara         | 16,000 | WEDNESDAY, 5th Nov., at 11 a.m. |
| VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE, via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI and YOKOHAMA      | SHIDZUOKA MARU<br>Capt. Iizawa    | 12,500 | TUESDAY, 4th Nov., at Noon      |
| SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE         | NIKKO MARU<br>Capt. Takeda        | 9,600  | WEDNESDAY, 19th Nov., at Noon   |
| CALCUTTA via SINGAPORE, PENANG & RANGOON                                           | KUMANO MARU<br>Capt. M. Winkler   | 9,300  | WEDNESDAY, 17th Dec., at Noon   |
| BOMBAY via SINGAPORE, and COLOMBO                                                  | KANAGAWA MARU<br>Capt. M. Machida | 12,500 | SATURDAY, 1st November          |
| KOBE and YOKOHAMA                                                                  | PENANG MARU<br>Capt. Munsumi      | 12,000 | TUESDAY, 23rd October           |
| SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE                                                              | KAGA MARU<br>Capt. Sakino         | 12,500 | THURSDAY, 6th Nov., at 11 a.m.  |
| NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA                                                          | BOMBAY MARU<br>Capt. Tozawa       | 6,000  | SATURDAY, 1st November          |
| SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA                                                        | COLOMBO MARU<br>Capt. Kawashima   | 6,000  | MONDAY, 27th October            |

§ Fitted with New System of Wireless Telegraphy. Cargo only.

## PASSENGER SEASON—1914.

| STEAMER       | TONS   | SALES | WEDNESDAY     |
|---------------|--------|-------|---------------|
| MIVASAKI MARU | 16,000 | "     | 28th January  |
| KITANO        | 16,000 | "     | 11th February |
| HIRANO        | 16,000 | "     | 25th February |
| KATORI        | 20,000 | "     | 11th March    |
| KAMO          | 16,000 | "     | 25th March    |
| KASHIMA       | 20,000 | "     | 8th April     |

## FOR AMERICA.

| STEAMER        | TONS   | SALES | TUESDAY       |
|----------------|--------|-------|---------------|
| SHIDZUOKA MARU | 12,500 | "     | 27th January  |
| TAMPA          | 12,500 | "     | 10th February |
| AKI            | 12,500 | "     | 24th February |
| SADO           | 12,500 | "     | 10th March    |
| YOKOHAMA       | 12,500 | "     | 24th March    |
| AWA            | 12,500 | "     | 7th April     |

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HOMeward PASSENGER SEASON, 1914.

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TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR  
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THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

| Connecting Steamer         | Steamers to | Leave SHANGHAI | Leave HONGKONG | Connecting Steamer | Leave MARSEILLES and LONDON | Due at MARSEILLES | Due at LONDON |
|----------------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| "ORIENTAL" leaves YOKOHAMA | COLOMBO.    | 6 p.m. Sun.    | Noon Sat.      |                    |                             |                   |               |
| Jan. 8                     | EGYPT       | Jan. 13        | Jan. 17        | MOOLTAN            | Saturday                    | Feb. 14           | Feb. 20       |
| Jan. 22                    | DEVANHA     | Jan. 27        | Jan. 31        | MOBEA              | Feb. 28                     | Mar. 6            | Mar. 12       |
| Feb. 5                     | CHINA       | Feb. 10        | Feb. 14        | MALJOA             | Mar. 14                     | Mar. 20           | Mar. 26       |
| Feb. 19                    | ASSAYE      | Feb. 24        | Feb. 28        | MARMORA            | Mar. 28                     | Apr. 3            | Apr. 9        |
| Mar. 5                     | INDIA       | Mar. 10        | Mar. 14        | MOLDAVIA           | Apr. 11                     | Apr. 17           | Apr. 23       |
| Mar. 19                    | DEVANHA     | Mar. 24        | Mar. 28        | MEDINA             | Apr. 25                     | May 1             | May 7         |
| Apr. 2                     | ARCADIA     | Apr. 7         | Apr. 11        | MONGOLIA           | May 9                       | May 15            | May 21        |
| Apr. 16                    | DELTA       | Apr. 21        | Apr. 25        | MALWA              | May 23                      | May 29            | June 4        |
| Apr. 30                    | ASSAYE      | May 5          | May 9          | MOOLTAN            | June 6                      | June 12           | June 18       |

Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO, and those for BRINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID.  
Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.

## FARES:

| The Fares to London and Marseilles are as follows:— |     |                      |      |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------------|------|
| LONDON                                              |     |                      |      |
| 1st Saloon                                          | "A" | Accommodation Single | £65. |
|                                                     | "B" | "                    | £59. |
| 2nd Saloon                                          | "A" | "                    | £44. |
|                                                     | "B" | "                    | £40. |
| MARSEILLES                                          |     |                      |      |
| 1st Saloon                                          | "A" | Accommodation Single | £61. |
|                                                     | "B" | "                    | £55. |
| 2nd Saloon                                          | "A" | "                    | £42. |
|                                                     | "B" | "                    | £38. |

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|----------|--------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
| BORNEO   | about Jan. 6 | about Jan. 17  | about Jan. 21 | about Jan. 27 | about Feb. 23   | about Mar. 4 |
| NANKIN   | Jan. 20      | Jan. 31        | Feb. 4        | Feb. 10       | Mar. 2          | Mar. 13      |
| NYANZA   | Feb. 3       | Feb. 14        | Feb. 18       | Feb. 24       | Mar. 23         | Mar. 31      |
| NORE     | Mar. 3       | Mar. 14        | Mar. 18       | Mar. 24       | Apr. 6          | Apr. 15      |
| NILE     | Mar. 17      | Mar. 28        | Apr. 1        | Apr. 7        | May 5           | May 14       |
| MALTA    | Mar. 31      | Apr. 11        | Apr. 15       | Apr. 21       | May 19          | May 28       |
| SUMATRA  | Apr. 14      | Apr. 25        | Apr. 29       | May 5         | June 3          | June 12      |
| NUBIA    | Apr. 28      | May 9          | May 13        | May 20        | June 18         | June 27      |
| NAMUR    | Apr. 28      | May 9          | May 13        | May 20        | June 18         | June 27      |

These Steamers call also at PORT SWETENHAM, PENANG and COLOMBO.  
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1st Saloon £50 Single: £75 Return.  
2nd Saloon £35 Single: £50 Return.

FARES TO MARSEILLES:  
1st Saloon £



# PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

| FOR                                       | STEAMERS | TO SAIL           | REMARKS                    |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| SHANGHAI                                  | INDIA    | D'light 24th Oct. | Freight and Passage.       |
| LONDON VIA USUAL PORTS                    | DELTA    | Noon 25th Oct.    | See Special Advertisement. |
| LONDON AND ANTWERP VIA                    | SYRIA    | About 29th Oct.   | Freight and Passage.       |
| SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBÉ, SUNDAY AND YOKOHAMA | SUNDA    | About 1st Nov.    | Freight and Passage.       |

All the above Steamers are fitted with Wireless Telegraphy.

For Further Particulars apply to

E. A. HEWETT,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, 23rd October, 1913.

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

| FOR                                  | STEAMERS   | TO SAIL                |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------------------|
| SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO & SHANGHAI      | "LUCHOW"   | On 23rd Oct., 11 A.M.  |
| SHANGHAI                             | "LUCHOW"   | On 23rd Oct., 4 P.M.   |
| SWATOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN | "HUICHOW"  | On 24th Oct., 10 A.M.  |
| SHANGHAI, TUNGTAU & NEWGWANG         | "KIUKIANG" | On 25th Oct., D'light. |
| SHANGHAI                             | "YINGCHOW" | On 25th Oct., 11 P.M.  |
| MANILA, CEBU and ALOILO              | "TEAN"     | On 26th Oct., 4 P.M.   |
| OHINWANTAO                           | "WUHU"     | On 29th Oct., 4 P.M.   |

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HIGHEST Class, Fastest and Most Luxurious Steamers on the Coast, having Splendid Accommodation for First-Class Passengers. Electric Light. Excellent Cuisine.

FOR

### SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW AND RETURN.

(Occupying 9 to 11 Days)

| STEAMSHIP | CAPTAIN              | LEAVING                        |
|-----------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| "HAIYAN"  | Capt. J. S. Bosch    | FRIDAY, 24th Oct., at 11 A.M.  |
| "HAIHONG" | Capt. W. C. Passmore | TUESDAY, 28th Oct., at 11 A.M. |
| "HAIYANG" | Capt. A. E. Hodgins  | FRIDAY, 31st Oct., at 11 A.M.  |

FOR SWATOW AND RETURN

(Occupying 3 Days)

| STEAMSHIP | CAPTAIN           | LEAVING                                                               |
|-----------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| "HAIMUN"  | Capt. J. W. Evans | (SUNDAY, 26th Oct., at 10 A.M.)<br>(WEDNESDAY, 29th Oct., at 11 A.M.) |

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GENERAL MANAGERS

Hongkong, 23rd October, 1913.

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MAIL SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA

via MANILA.

MAIL SCHEDULE

(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION)

| STEAMER  | ARRIVE HONGKONG<br>FROM AUSTRALIA | LEAVE HONGKONG<br>FOR AUSTRALIA |
|----------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| ALDENHAM | 5th November                      | On 5th Nov., 11 A.M.            |
| EMPIRE   | 5th November                      | On 21st Nov., 11 A.M.           |

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| FOR SHANGHAI, KOBÉ AND YOKOHAMA: | FOR VANCOUVER, SEATTLE and/or TACOMA & PORTLAND (Or). |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| S.S. ANDALUSIA                   | 29th Oct.                                             |
| S.S. ISTRIA                      | 5th Nov.                                              |
| S.S. ALTMARK                     | 15th Nov.                                             |
| S.S. SITHONIA                    | 20th Nov.                                             |
| S.S. PREUSSEN                    | 29th Nov.                                             |

For Further Particulars, apply to—

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 20th October, 1913.

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Operating the THREE TRIPLE SCREW TURBINE Steamers

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INTERMEDIATE STEAMERS.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (Subject to Alteration).

| STEAMER       | CAPTAIN       | DAYS OF SAILING              |
|---------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| NIPPON MARU   | A. G. Stevens | WEDNESDAY, 5th Nov., Noon.   |
| TENYO MARU    | E. Beni       | TUESDAY, 11th Nov., at Noon. |
| HONGKONG MARU | S. Togo       | FRIDAY, 28th Nov., at Noon.  |
| SHINYO MARU   | H. S. Smith   | THURSDAY, 4th Dec., at Noon. |
| CHIYO MARU    | W. W. Greene  | MONDAY, 2nd Dec., at Noon.   |

The S.S. "NIPPON MARU" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via MANILA, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU on WEDNESDAY, the 5th November, at Noon.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (Subject to Alteration).

| STEAMER   | TONS   | DATE OF SAILING               |
|-----------|--------|-------------------------------|
| ANYO MARU | 13,500 | WEDNESDAY, 3rd Dec., at Noon. |
| KIYO MARU | 17,200 | THURSDAY, 5th Feb., at Noon.  |
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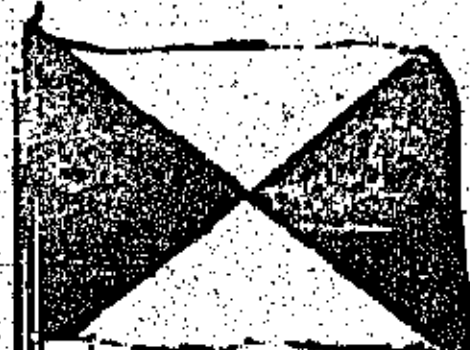
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| STEAMSHIP | TONS | CAPTAIN       | FOR                               | SAILING DATE         |
|-----------|------|---------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| ZAFIRO    | 4000 | F. S. McMarra | Manila, Mangarin, Cebu and Iloilo | On 24th Oct., 4 P.M. |
| RUBI      | 4000 | J. Miller     | Manila, Mangarin, Cebu and Iloilo | On 13th Nov., 4 P.M. |

Electric Light, Fans in every Cabin, C. and S. and Stew. and Cooks.

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Hongkong, 20th October, 1913. PHILIPPINES S.S. CO.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

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| STEAMER        | CAPTAIN      | LEAVING                         |
|----------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| "CHICAGO MARU" | I. Goto      | THURSDAY, 30th Oct., at 1 P.M.  |
| "CANADA MARU"  | H. Yamamoto  | SATURDAY, 15th Nov., at 1 P.M.  |
| "TACOMA MARU"  | T. Hamada    | THURSDAY, 27th Nov., at 1 P.M.  |
| "PANAMA MARU"  | J. Kanzo     | WEDNESDAY, 10th Dec., at 1 P.M. |
| "SEATTLE MARU" | T. Saito     | THURSDAY, 25th Dec., at 1 P.M.  |
| "MEXICO MARU"  | N. Kobayashi | WEDNESDAY, 7th Jan., at 1 P.M.  |

Calling at SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA and YOKOHAMA.

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| STEAMER       | CAPTAIN      | LEAVING                      |
|---------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| "INDO MARU"   | K. Komiya    | SUNDAY, 2nd Nov., 4 P.M.     |
| "LUZON MARU"  | Z. Yamamoto  | WEDNESDAY, 25th Nov., 4 P.M. |
| "SAIGON MARU" | T. Yamaguchi | FRIDAY, 26th Dec., 4 P.M.    |

FOR MOJI, KOBÉ AND YOKOHAMA.

| STEAMER       | CAPTAIN      | LEAVING                      |
|---------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| "SAIGON MARU" | T. Yamaguchi | WEDNESDAY, 12th Nov., 4 P.M. |
| "LUZON MARU"  | H. Yamamoto  | THURSDAY, 25th Dec., 4 P.M.  |
| "INDO MARU"   | K. Komiya    |                              |

### CHINA AND FORMOSA LINE

FOR FOCHOW VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

FOR TAMSUI VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

| STEAMER       | CAPTAIN     | LEAVING                       |
|---------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| "KAISO MARU"  | Y. Yamamoto | Leaving                       |
| "DAIGI MARU"  | K. Murakami | SUNDAY, 26th Oct., at 10 A.M. |
| "DAIJIN MARU" | M. Nagano   |                               |

FOR ANPING AND TAKAO VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

| STEAMER      | CAPTAIN    | LEAVING                         |
|--------------|------------|---------------------------------|
| "SOSHU MARU" | K. Tashira | WEDNESDAY, 29th Oct., at 8 A.M. |

FOR CANTON.

| STEAMER      | CAPTAIN    | LEAVING           |
|--------------|------------|-------------------|
| "SOSHU MARU" | K. Tashira | FRIDAY, 24th Oct. |

These Steamers of Coast and Formosa Line have Excellent accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers and are fitted with Electric Light and Fans.

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## NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

### IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINES.

| FOR                                                                | STEAMERS          | TONS   | TO SAIL                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIERS, GIBRALTAR, SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP and BREMEN | "DERFFLINGER"     | 17,000 | Wed'ay, 16th Oct., at 10 A.M. |
| SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ and YOKOHAMA                              | "P. E. FRIEDRICH" | 16,000 | About Wed'ay, 29th Oct.       |
| MANILA, ANGAUR, YAP, NEW GUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE    | "PRINZ SIGISMUND" | 6,000  | Saturday, 1st Nov., at 9 A.M. |
| KOBÉ                                                               | "PRINZ WALDEMAR"  | 1,100  | About Tuesday, 12th Nov.      |
| JESSELTON, KUDAT and SANDAKAN                                      | "BORNEO"          | 5,000  | Friday, 31st Oct.             |

All the Steamers of the European Line are fitted with Wireless Telegraphy New System of Telefunken.

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4, Market Street, 18th October 1913.

## PASSENGER SEASON 1914.

### NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

TO EUROPE BY THE

### MAGNIFICENT FAST LINERS.

| STEAMSHIP                | DISPLACEMENT | TO SAIL           |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| *"PRINZ LUDWIG"          | 18,300 TONS  | ON FEBRUARY 3RD.  |
| "GOEBEN"                 | 17,300       | ON FEBRUARY 18TH. |
| *"DERFFLINGER"           | 17,250       | ON MARCH 3RD.     |
| "KLEIST"                 | 17,000       | ON MARCH 18TH.    |
| *"PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH" | 17,000       | ON MARCH 31ST.    |
| "YORK"                   | 17,000       | ON APRIL 15TH.    |
| *"PRINZESS ALICE"        | 20,300       | ON APRIL 28TH.    |

\*THESE STEAMERS WILL CALL AT MANILA DIRECT ON THE VOYAGE FROM HERE TO SINGAPORE.

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Hongkong, 10th October, 1913.

### VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P.M. str. *Manila* sailed from Yokohama on the 20th October, for Hongkong via Manila. The mail from the United States has been transferred to the T.K.K. str. *Nippon Maru*, which is scheduled to reach Hongkong on the 27th October.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. & A. str. *Empress* left Sydney on the 18th October, for this port via Queensland, Java, Port Darwin and Manila, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 5th November.The I.G.M. str. *Prinz Waldemar* left Sydney on the 18th October, at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 10th November.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C.P.R. str. *Monteagle* left Kobe on the 21st October, at 10 a.m., and is due to arrive at Moji on the 22nd October, at 6 a.m.The C.P.R. str. *Empress of Russia* left Kobe on the 21st October, midnight, and is due to arrive at Shanghai on the 24th October, at 7 p.m.

THE GERMAN MAIL.

The N.Y.K. str. *Shidzuoka Maru* (American Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji and Shanghai on the 17th October, and is expected here on the 23rd October.The N.Y.K. str. *Prinz Eitel Friedrich*, carrying the German mails, with dates from Berlin of the 1st October, left Colombo on the 18th October, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 29th October.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The N.Y.K. str. *Shidzuoka Maru* (American Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji and Shanghai on the 17th October, and is expected here on the 23rd October.The N.Y.K. str. *Bombay Maru* (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via ports on the 11th October, and is expected here on the 21st October.The N.Y.K. str. *Colombo Maru* (Calcutta Line) left Calcutta for this port via ports on the 13th October, and is expected here on the 31st October.The Swedish East Asiatic Co.'s str. *St. Helena* left Port Said on the 8th October, and is expected to arrive here on the 3rd November.The N.Y.K. str. *Tamba Maru* (American Line) left Seattle for this port via ports on the 7th October, and is expected here on the 9th November.The Barber Line str. *Saint Patrick* sailed from New York on the 12th September for Hongkong.The str. *Glenloch* passed the Suez Canal on the 30th September, for Hongkong via Straits.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

The str. *Chongking* from Shanghai, is due in Hongkong 24th October.The str. *Kamsang*, from Singapore, is due in Hongkong 24th October.The str. *Chingking*, from Tsingtau, is due in Hongkong 26th October.

SIRE LINE, LIMITED.

The str. *Den of Airlie*, from London, is due in Hongkong 13th November.The str. *Vesta*, from Moji, is due in Hongkong 23rd October.The str. *Den of Crombie*, from Vancouver, is due in Hongkong 20th November.

### MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION.

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Alacrity, despatch-boat, 1,700 tons, 4 guns, 2,000 h.p., Comdr. A. Cochrane, cruising.

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Bramble, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. B. E. Pritchard, Weihaiwei.

Britannia, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. W. H. Darwall, Hankow.

Cobra, British sloop, 1,070 tons, 1,400 h.p., f.d., Comdr. Hugh P. B. T. Williams.

Shanghai.

Cherub, water tank and tug, 300 tons, 340 h.p., Master, Smith, Hongkong.

Fido, British sloop, 1,070 tons, 1,400 h.p., Comdr. Mackenzie, Shanghai.

Fame, torpedo-boat destroyer, 340 tons, 6 guns, 5,700 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. Wilkinson, Hongkong.



